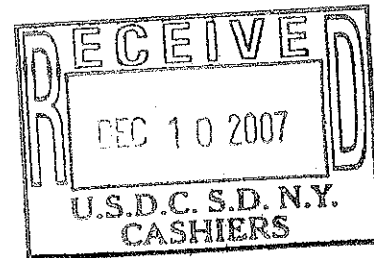


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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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JIANGSU J-LONG IMP. & EXP. TRADING CO., LTD.  
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Plaintiffs,

**RULE 7.1 STATEMENT**

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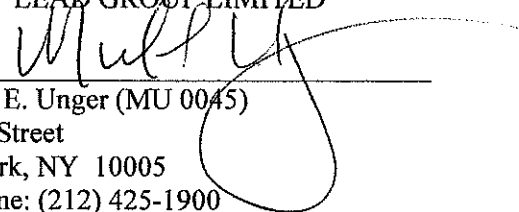
SHINKO KAIUN CO. LTD and  
INABA PRIDE MARITIME SA,

Defendants.  
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The Plaintiffs, JIANGSU J-LONG IMP. & EXP. TRADING CO., LTD. and GLORY LEAD GROUP LIMITED, by and through their undersigned attorneys Freehill Hogan & Mahar, LLP, and pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure (formerly Local General 1.9) and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, undersigned counsel (a private non-governmental party) certify that they are not publicly traded entities and no publicly held company owns 10% or more of their stock.

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